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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

DATE: 31 May 1974

TO: Mr. Benjamin Evans  
Executive Secretary

FROM:

SUBJECT: Responsibility Transfer

REMARKS:

1. On 23 May you sent to us for action the 20 May letter to the DCI from Mr. Fred C. Ikle, Director of the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency. That letter and its attachment levied a series of requests which, frankly, would require more time to satisfy than they are worth. I discussed this package with Ed Proctor -- whose views on it are the same as mine and perhaps even more strongly held. He agreed to take the action responsibility on this matter since Howard Stoertz and his immediate associates are already totally committed. Would you please make any formal notation required to keep your account straight.

2. Despite the fact that action in this instance was subsequently transferred, I appreciate your initially assigning it to us which (in my view) is what should have been done.

George A. Carver, Jr.  
D/DCI/NIO

Attachment

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DATE: 31 May 1974

TO: Mr. Edward W. Proctor  
Deputy Director for Intelligence  
FROM:

SUBJECT: Ikle's 20 May Letter

REMARKS:

Per our 29 May conversation, would you and your associates please take care of handling the request levied in the attached package which Newhouse unfortunately persuaded Ikle to sign.

Many thanks.

George A. Carver, Jr.  
Deputy for National Intelligence Officers

Attachment

Ikle Letter of 20 May 1974 re Discussions  
on SALT Planning

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DATE: May 28, 1974

TO: Howard Stoertz, NIO/SP

FROM: GACarver, Jr.

SUBJECT:

REMARKS:

Attached is a somewhat turgid letter to the Director signed by Ikle but probably written by John Newhouse. Precisely what "Ikle" wants is a little vague though he appears to want instruction and enlightenment for his colleagues several of whom seem anxious to reinvent the wheel. Ed suggests we transfer responsibility for handling this to him. I have no objections but do not want to move in your area without your prior concurrence. I must confess that to my untutored eye this is a worm bucket best dropped in someone else's lap.

George A. Carver, Jr.  
Deputy for National Intelligence Officers

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